Bureau of Land Management

Yaquina Head Outstanding Natural Area

Volunteer Program

Why Volunteer?

The volunteer program offers an opportunity to become involved with professional staff dedicated to the management and protection of Yaquina Head. You can contribute a wealth of knowledge and experience, as well as a strong spirit of commitment toward the preservation of our nation's natural and cultural resources.

Who can volunteer?

We are seeking energetic applicants who enjoy working with people.

DUTIES:

Volunteers perform the following services:

- Provide orientations for visitors entering the intertidal area. These intertidal
 orientations enable visitors to utilize low impact skills while exploring the fragile
 intertidal area.
- Greet visitors at the lighthouse in replica 1880 clothing. Provide lighthouse orientations, informal interpretation, and issue tickets for lighthouse tours.
- Provide visitors with area information at the interpretive center desk.
- Assist in the park's tidepool education programs offered each spring.
- Provide informal Interpretation of viewable marine mammals and sea birds while staffing "interpretive tables" located at outdoor viewpoints within the park.

How do I apply?

Prospective volunteers should contact Yaquina Head Outstanding Natural Area (Gary Meyer at (541) 574-3143 or Jay Moeller at (541) 574-3145.) When selected, you will sign a volunteer agreement, be given an orientation to Yaquina Head and the interpretive center, receive necessary training, and your assignment.

